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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Applicant: Danforth et al.

Title: Production Of An Immunovariant Strain of Eimeria Maxima Contributes to Strain Cross-

Protection with Other Eimeria Maximas

Group Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: Ja-Na A. Hines

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2002 (Paper No. 7), thereby extending the period for response to March 24, 2003, the first business day following March 22, 2003 (Saturday). Please charge deposit account 50-2134 the \$400.00 fee for said extension. Please charge any additional fees which may be required at any time during

prosecution of the instant application to deposit account 50-2134.

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